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ICD-10 Testing Encouraged before Implementation Date

Trading partners and providers are highly encouraged to test prior to the federal mandate date for ICD-10, which is October 1, 2015. It is critical that trading partners and providers test with Nevada Medicaid prior to the mandated date to ensure readiness for all parties and reduce the impact of this implementation for all parties, which could potentially have negative impacts on provider payments.

Providers who use a clearinghouse to submit claims are encouraged to contact their clearinghouse to make sure they test with HP Enterprise Services (HPES) prior to the mandated date for ICD-10.

Trading partners and providers who are interested in testing ICD-10 claim transactions may contact HPES at nvicd10testing@hp.com to be added to our contact list.

HPES has posted useful ICD-10 Frequently Asked Questions on the Provider Billing Information webpage at: <https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/providers/BillingInfo.aspx>.

ICD-10 Testing

- Testing is scheduled to begin the week of July 6, 2015.
- HPES will contact trading partners who have been added to our contact list to begin the testing process the week of July 6, 2015.
- HPES will publish testing instructions and end-to-end testing schedule on July 6, 2015, on the Providers Electronic Claims/EDI webpage at <https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/providers/edi.aspx>

ICD-10 Reminders

- Mandatory compliance date October 1, 2015.
- Federal mandate under Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) regulations.
- National impact: mandatory for all HIPAA-covered entities such as hospitals, physicians, dental providers, long-term care providers, DME providers, small provider offices, laboratories, clearinghouses, hardware/software vendors and billing agencies.